# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# CIVIL AVIATION
# LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:566
ANSWERED ON:05.05.2005
FLEET UTILIZATION
Jagannath Dr. M.

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the utilization of fleet of Air India and Indian Airlines is lower than the industry average in the past few years;

(b) if so, whether the steps taken by the Government during the past few years to increase the fleet utilization of these public sector organizations remained ineffective;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the corrective measures proposed to be taken to improve the fleet utilization of these Airlines?

## Answer

- MINISTER OF STATE(INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION( SHRI PRAFUL PATEL )

(a),(b),(c) and (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.566 FOR 5.5.2005 REGARDING FLEET UTILIZATION.

(a): No, Sir. In fact, the average utilization of fleet by Air India and Indian Airlines is higher than the industry average.

(b), (c) and (d): Do not arise.